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Dear Mr. Stanley:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Page information should reflect only the current election cycle-to-date figures. Please amend your report to correct this error. (2 U.S.C. §434)(b))

-Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions received after the General Election 2002 which are designated for the Primary Election 2002. These contributions may only be accepted to the extent that the committee has net debts outstanding from the primary election. (11 CFR §110.1(b)(3)(i))

A contribution is considered to be made when the contributor relinquishes control over the contribution. A contributor shall be considered to have relinquished control over the contribution when it is delivered to the candidate, when it is delivered to an authorized committee of the candidate, or to an agent of an authorized committee of the candidate. A contribution that is mailed to any of the aforementioned recipients will be considered to have been made on the date of the postmark. Envelopes should be retained for the committee's records. (11 CFR §110.1(b)(6))

If any contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly reported, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information.